

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the present application.

Listing of Claims:

1. (Original) A panel assembly comprising a panel; and a frame having a generally annular shape and including first and second sections, said panel being retained between said first and second sections, said frame including a snap-fit device positioned on at least one of said first and second sections for attaching said second section to said first section, thereby facilitating the assembly of said panel with said frame.

2. (Original) The assembly of Claim 1, wherein said first section has an opening therein; and said panel has a surface, said surface being exposed through said opening.

3. (Original) The assembly of Claim 2, wherein said surface includes a writing surface.

4. (Original) The assembly of Claim 3, wherein said device includes at least one first coupling member, which is provided on said first section of said frame, and at least one second coupling member, which is provided on said second section of said frame, said at least one first member being coupled to said at least one second member.

5. (Original) The assembly of Claim 4, wherein said at least one first member includes a plurality of tabs formed on said first section of said frame, each of said tabs including a first locking surface; and wherein said at least one second member includes a plurality of

mounting holes, which are formed in said second section of said frame, and a plurality of second locking surfaces, which are provided on said second section of said frame, each of said tabs being received in a corresponding one of said mounting holes such that each of said first locking surfaces of said tabs interlocks with a corresponding one of said second locking surfaces of said at least one second member.

6. (Original) The assembly of Claim 5, wherein said first section of said frame includes a first wall having a generally annular shape, said tabs being located on said first wall of said first section; and wherein said second section of said frame includes a second wall having a generally annular shape, said mounting holes being formed in said second wall of said second section, said second locking surfaces of said at least one second member being defined by said second wall of said second section.

7. (Original) The assembly of Claim 6, wherein said second section includes a pair of ribs projecting from said second wall and defining a groove therebetween, each of said mounting holes being formed in said second wall substantially between said ribs.

8. (Original) The assembly of Claim 4, wherein said at least one first member includes a plurality of tabs formed on said first section of said frame, each of said tabs including a first locking surface; and wherein said at least one second member includes a plurality of notches, which are formed in said second section of said frame, each of said tabs being received in a corresponding one of said notches so as to attach said first and second sections of said frame to each other.

9. (Original) The assembly of Claim 8, wherein said first section of said frame includes a first wall having a generally annular shape, said tabs being located on said first wall

of said first section; and wherein said second section of said frame includes a second wall having a generally annular shape, said notches being formed in said second wall of said second section along a perimeter thereof, said panel being captured between said first and second walls.

10. (Original) The assembly of Claim 9, further comprising retaining means for retaining each of said tabs in a corresponding one of said notches.

11. (Original) The assembly of Claim 10, wherein said retaining means includes first retaining members, which project from said first wall of said first section of said frame, and second retaining members, which project from said second wall of said second section of said frame.

12. (Original) The assembly of Claim 11, wherein each of said tabs is interposed by a corresponding pair of said first retaining members; and wherein each of said notches being interposed by a corresponding pair of said second retaining members, each of said first retaining members engaging a corresponding one of said second retaining members so as to inhibit lateral movement of said second wall relative to said first wall.

13. (Original) The assembly of Claim 1, wherein said frame includes an exterior wall and a storage pocket, said storage pocket being covered at least partially by said exterior wall so as to receive and hold a writing instrument therein.

14. (Original) The assembly of Claim 1, wherein said frame includes an exterior wall, a first storage pocket, which is formed in said body for receiving a writing instrument in a first orientation, and a second storage pocket, which is formed in said body for receiving a writing instrument in a second orientation which is different from said first orientation.

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